

## PERSONALS

Mrs. R. E. Early, of Palmyra, was in town this morning shopping.

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Mr. G. Hoffman left on the morning train for Norfolk Va., on business.

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Mr. Paul Price left on the morning train for Holgood on business.

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Mr. Joe Riddick spent yesterday in Littleton on business.

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Mr. A. F. Hancock left this morning for Weldon on business.

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Mrs. Jacob Baron returned Sunday evening from Magnolia where she had been on an extended visit.

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Mr. Paul Speed returned by train from Norfolk this morning where he had been over Sunday with friends.

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Private John Perry, who has enlisted in the regular army, is home on a thirty day furlough.

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Mr. Abdon Madry left on the morning train for Wake Forest to return to his schooling.

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Miss Anna Mills arrived from Washington City on a visit to Mr. and Mrs. Lewis B. Suiter.

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Miss Mary Tillery is expected to arrive home from Meredith college tonight.

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Mrs. B. F. Arrington is reported to be quite sick today although her condition is not regarded as dangerous.

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Rev. A. O. Moore and family, who have been spending a few days here with relatives, left this morning for their home in Clayton.

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Mr. J. D. Hall did not leave yesterday for Wilmington but did so at noon today and will bring back his mother for a visit here.

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Mr. and Mrs. D. G. Berry, Mrs. C. Frank Burroughs, Mrs. A. W. Outerbridge and Miss Virginia Gaskins motored to Robersonville this morning to spend the day.

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Continuous rains in Texas is the cause of the sudden jump in the prices of cotton yesterday. It was reported that three inches of rain had fallen in that state and rain was still falling.

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## SURPRISE WEDDING AT MIDNIGHT

Last night at five minutes after the midnight hour a marriage was solemnized at Trinity Episcopal Church between Mr. Henry Spooner Harrison of Enfield and Miss Bessie Lee Cawthorn, of Littleton. Rev. Reuben Meredith officiating.

The affair was a surprise as it had been intimated that these two young people would be joined in wedlock this morning, but it was determined to anticipate that date and a number of cars started from Enfield early last night and most of them had to wait the coming of the groom who unfortunately travelled the wrong road and his car got stuck so that it was midnight before he arrived, which was fully two hours later than the time arranged.

Those who came over for the ceremony were Mr. and Mrs. Spooner Harrison, father and mother of the groom and Miss Virginia Harrison, Dr. and Mrs. A. S. Harrison, Mr. and Mrs. Raymond C. Dunn, Mr. and Mrs. Hubert Whitaker and Mr. and Mrs. Ivey Watson. The local friends who were present included Dr. and Mrs. H. J. Clark, Miss Laura Clark, Mr. J. D. Hall and Mrs. Reuben Meredith. Mr. Ivey Watson gave the bride away and Mr. Hubert Whitaker acted as best man.

The groom is a very popular man and is manager of Garrett and Company's vineyard at Medoc, N. C., where the young couple will reside after their return from the honeymoon.

The bride is the popular daughter of the late Harry and Bessie Lee Cawthorn, of Littleton. Mrs. Cawthorn is connected with the registration department of the postoffice at Littleton. The family came originally from Warrenton.

The bridal party left immediately after the ceremony for Weldon where they took the north bound train No. 82 for a ten days trip after which they will be at home at Medoc, N. C.

## THE 30th's FIRST REUNION

Following the selection here by the executive committee of Greenville, S. C., as the convention city of the 30th division, September 28-29, Col. H. B. Springs chairman of the committees, announced that the first meeting would be an organization meeting and for perfecting plans for future reunions of the "Old Hickory".

The contest between the seven cities bidding for the convention was spirited but when the winner was announced the others pledged their utmost aid to make the meeting the biggest thing of its kind in the Union. Asheville and Raleigh, this state, Memphis, Chattanooga and Knoxville, Tennessee, Columbia and Greenville, S. C., were bidders for the convention these three states contributing the troops that made up the "Old Hickory" division. Sitting in committee with Col. Springs was Brigadier General Lawrence Tyson, of Knoxville, and Col. Albert Cox, of Raleigh.

Expressing satisfaction at the selection of Greenville, General Tyson, who presented the claim of Knoxville in an ex officio capacity, declared that the 60th brigade of the 30th, aided by the 117th regiment of the 59th brigade, broke the Hindenburg line. The 118th, also in the 59th which was commanded by General Tyson, was in close report when the attack was launched.

Col. Springs estimated that between six and ten thousand soldiers would attend the organization meeting. Special trains will be operated from points in all three states to Greenville. The 30th trained at Camp Sevier before it went overseas.

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THE DIXIE THEATRE PRESENTS MISS CONSTANCE TALMADGE in a great five reel Paramount Picture entitled "Mrs. Boots." It's a treat. We all know Miss Talmadge.

Mrs. J. L. Josey did not have a very good night but her condition is reported to be no worse although she is still very weak.

## SYSTEM BOND PAPER

For the first time since the war started System Bond is available for commercial use. This is a high grade of bond paper, fit for fine work. We can supply a small amount of Systems Bond for letter heads, etc. Apply at The Commonwealth.

## AT DIXIE THEATRE TO-NIGHT

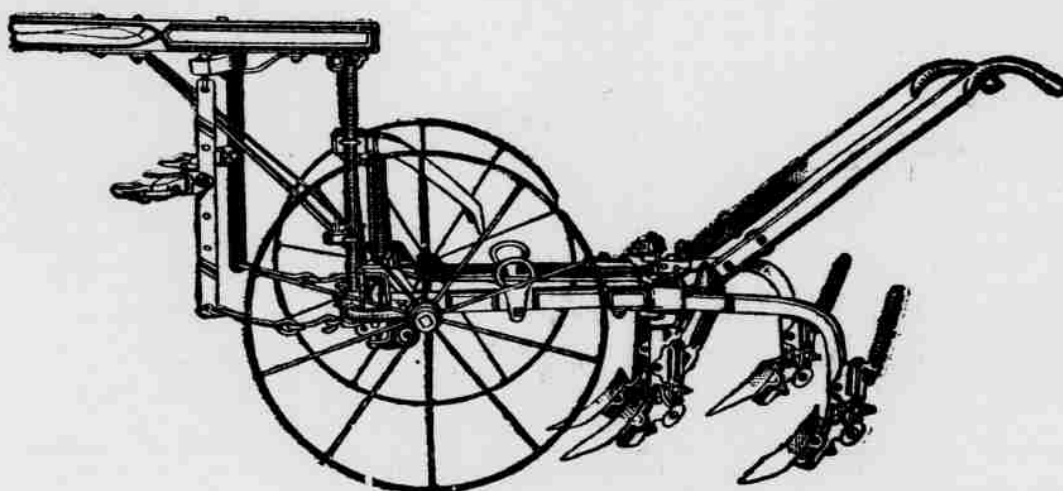
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## BANKING HOURS CHANGED

We desire to announce to our Customers and the public in general that on and after June 1st. We will close at three P. M., except Saturdays; Saturdays at 4 P. M. (until repeal of daylight law we will remain open until 5 P. M. Saturdays.)

For the information of the public we wish to state that all other banks close their doors each day at from 2 P. M. to 3 P. M. This is not a custom, as is generally supposed, in order that the "Banker" may lock his vault and go home for the balance of the day, but that he may balance his Cash and proceed with his days work. The business of Banking is so intricate that it is necessary to have complete balancing of each and every department before the "Posting" of any of the many books can proceed. This can not be done while the public is being served and new items being cashed and received for deposit, thus the custom of bank closing a certain hour each day.

The banks of this town have

The Scotland Neck Bank  
By J. H. Alexander, Jr., Cashier

never rigidly maintained strict adherence to this rule, but have balanced their books as best they could, while serving the public at almost any hour. Owing to the fact, and too, our work is so very much heavier than ever before, we will have to, as above stated ask our friends and patrons to transact their business before the hours stated.

This does not mean that if the occasion should arise whereby you may need banking accommodation after "hours" that it will not be possible for you to phone us and get waited on, but it does mean that whatever service we may give you after closing will be PURELY PERSONAL accommodation, and we desire you to know that each and every time will mean an interruption to our work, no matter how cheerfully we may serve you.

We earnestly hope that each and every patron and friend of our banks will endeavor to assist us in this, and we assure you that your efforts in our behalf will be greatly appreciated.

The Planters & Commercial Bank  
By O. J. Moore, Cashier

# OPENS JUNE 7th

## 12th SERIES

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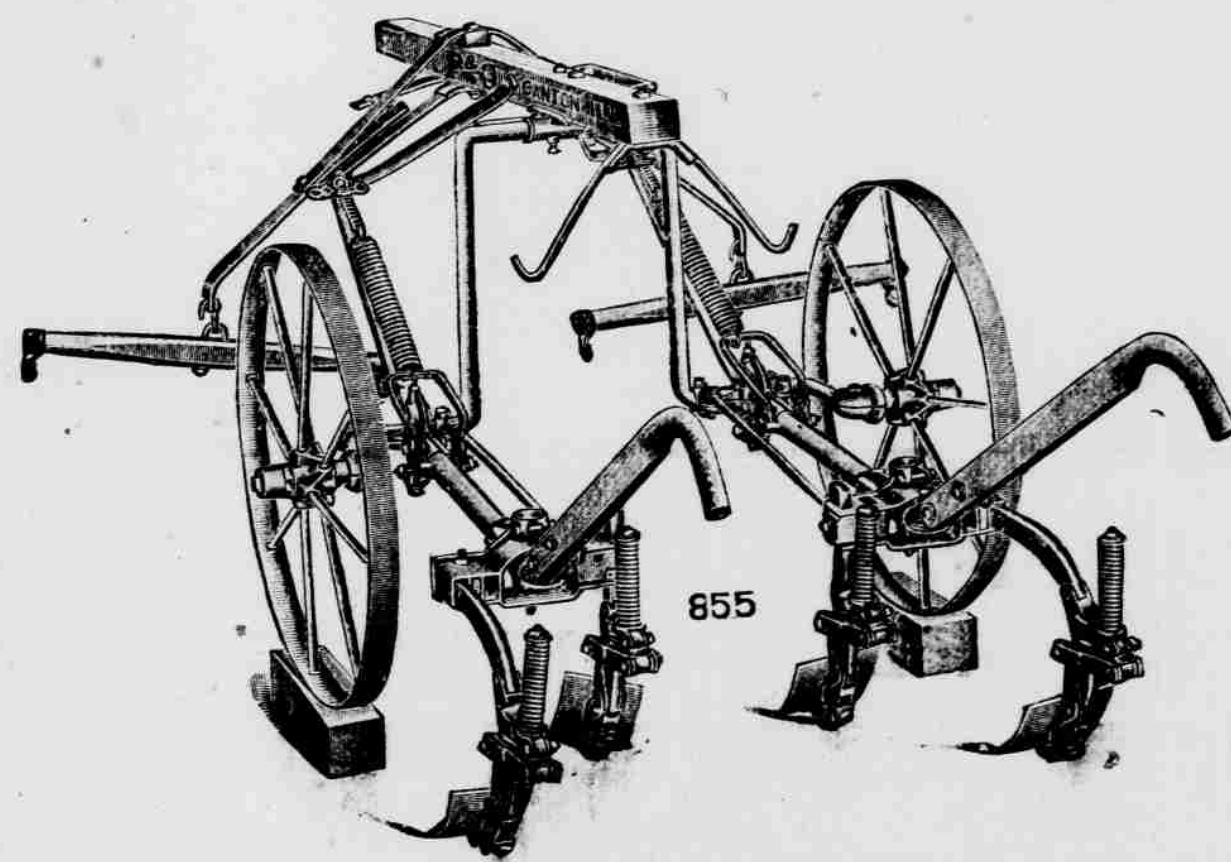
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